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From the Californian, March 15, 1848:
The Liberty of the Press consists in the right to publish the Truth, with good motives and for justifiable ends. —Alexander Hamilton.

Thinking Out Loud

By H. M. L.

"Candy stick" government as Mr. Willkie so aptly describes the New Deal's failures, is one of those phrases which will catch on. At various times the New Deal has been nominated the world's richest and most prodigal Santa Claus, but it remained for Wendell Willkie in a pithy sentence to really describe the Roosevelt administration in his address to an audience of Iowa farmers. It calls to mind the picture of an indulgent parent surrounded by a sniffling and squalling progeny, bribing them all, or as many of them as necessary, to good conduct by gifts of pretty, striped candy sticks.

We note that unemployment insurance collections in California since June 1936 now amount to $250,514,000 while payments to the unemployed, since they began in January 1938, only amount to $97,350,000. In other words there is more than $150,000,000 stored away somewhere which is not doing the taxpayers, employers and employes, any good. This "candy stick" is heavily wrapped with red tape, but the need of such reserve fund can hardly be defended from a standpoint of good business. Besides, there is always a temptation to drive for loosening restrictions so that the "surplus" can be readily expended where it will do the most good for the party in power.

These figures indicate that collections of unemployment insurance funds are some $12,500,000 ahead of insurance needs annually even under the present very liberal distribution of benefits. These benefits for instance include such things payments to shop girls who quit employment to marry, and are "unemployed" while attending to their housewifely duties, payments to university students who get a job in the summer time and are "unemployed" while pursuing their studies during eight months of the year in college, and other palpable frauds on the purposes of the funds. Another chiseling operation consists of the insured quitting jobs to enjoy a long vacation on the benefits from fund. In fact the administration of the unemployment insurance fund has the horrid odor of a Chinese stink bomb. We respectfully call its noisome fragrance to the attention of California State legislators.

Another example of the demoralizing influence of "candy stick" government, is afforded in the effort of old age pensions. Young folks, too often, with indecent haste, shoulder off their aged parents upon the state, county and Federal charity roles. The stigma that once attached to sending the old folks to the poor house has been glozed over by the siren voice from Washington. The wide appeal to human cupidity, to the congenitally lazy, to the naturally derelict, the loiterers, to dreamers and theorists constitutes not only the worst indictment against the New Deal, but also in practical effect it is the measure of its failure. For, after all, the great majority of Americans expect and desire to earn their living without paternal assistance from Washington. It is well enough to take care of those actually in need, but that has always been done in the history of the United States, through municipal and county management The temptation of the "candy stick", however, appeals to an enormous population on the border between the self-respecting and self-supporting, and the laggards content to take the government dole in whatever disguise it is offered. The "candy stick", has enormously recruited the ranks the government subsidized. The taxation necessary to support these various programs and groups operates to reduce the number of tax payers and to increase the army of tax eaters.

Someday, perhaps, we shall learn that hardships are just as necessary to the molding of national character, as they are to individual character, both as a matter of discipline and of education for national progress. The something-for-nothing cult has had its day, we believe, in this country. Palliatives were never cures. The cure for national disaster, such as that of 1929, naturally would be a tightening of the belt and a return to hard work. National legislation should have promoted just that process. Instead of that we have mortgaged the future of our children and grandchildren to a total of billions, and still have virtually the same number of unemployed that we had when Mr. Roosevelt took over.

Repairing Of Streets Proceeding

Four Crews Busily Engaged In Street Improving Activities

Four city and Works Progress Administration crews are at work repairing, widening and resurfacing Nevada City streets.

City Superintendent of Street Herbert Hallett said plans are being formulated for the reconstruction of the Tahoe-Ukiah Highway opposite Dr. A. H. Tickell's residence. The highway, which is within the city limits, forms a hump at that point and is dangerous to traffic. Anyone coming toward Nevada City on the county hospital road are unable to see cars travelling north.

Work on the grading of about one quarter of a mile of street in the Lost Hill area has practically been completed, it was announced by Superintendent Hallett. The work on West Broad Street near the city limits is nearing completion by a crew of WPA workers.

Cement Poured

The pouring of the cement for the retaining wall on the Downieville Highway just off Broad Street is proceeding and the job is practically half through. The work there is expected to lessen traffic hazards.

Yesterday a crew was busily engaged installing water pipes for the new Purity Store and a city crew last night graded the store yard.

The other project underway at the present time is the widening and repairing of Clay and Adams Streets.

The street repairing is greatly improving the appearance of Nevada City.

BRIDGE REPAIR FUNDS BELIEVED READY FOR USE

Legal wrangling which blocked the use of a $500,000 fund set up by the legislature, last May for state aid to counties in repairing bridges, levees, roads and floods, appeared to be near an end yesterday.

Edward Hyatt, chief of the division of water resources, said none of the money has been spent, pending clarification by the attorney general and the controller's office of the appropriation bill's language.

The measure provides the funds shall be used to match equal amount provided by counties and other political sub-divisions for repair projects in areas affected by the floods of last spring.

The principal obstacle, Hyatt said has been the question of whether surveys and detailed budegts for all projects, required in the bill, can be financed by the appropriation itself.

An opinion was received from Attorney General Earl Warren indicating the survey costs of project applications which are approved and granted may be charged against the cost of the work, but those which are rejected cannot.

The division chief said it may be possible to start using the funds within 10 days.

PEACE OFFICERS WILL HOLD MEETING HERE

Sheriff Carl J. Tobiassen will be host at a meeting of the Northern California Peace Officers Association at the Heidelberg Inn on Thursday, August 15th. The meeting will be held in conjunction with a noon dinner at the Inn.

Following the dinner and business meeting, the members of the association, comprised of peace officers from cities in Northern California, will be conducted on a sight seeing tour of this area.

Visiting in St. Helena—

Mrs. Gildersleeve, wife of Justice of the peace George Gildersleeve, left yesterday for St. Helena, where she will visit relatives for a week.

Absentee Ballots Can Be Obtained From County Clerk

Qualified voters expecting to be out of town on the day of the primary election, August 27th, may obtain absentee ballots from County Clerk R. N. McCormack's office. The absentee ballots will be issued until August 22.

Persons out of town who do not expect to return before the election may obtain ballots by writing to County Clerk McCormack.

DAN SULLIVAN FUNERAL HELD IN DOWNIEVILLE

Fall From Bridge Is Fatal To Nevada County Native

Funeral services were held at 2 P. M. today in the Odd Fellows Hall in Downieville for Daniel F. Sullivan 74, life long resident of Nevada and Sierra Counties, who died Monday in the Sutter Hospital in Sacramento from injuries suffered in a fall from the Jersery Bridge across the Yuba River in Downieville.

The Downieville Native Sons Lodge conducted the funeral services. Burial was under the direction of the Holmes Funeral Home of Nevada City.

Sullivan's death was due to a fracture of the skull and internal injuries. A native of Moores Flat the deceased resided in the Nevada-Sierra County area his entire life. He was a miner by occupation.

He leaves his wife, Mrs. Amelia Sullivan and three sisters, Mrs. Albert Jacobs of Downieville and Mrs. Nellie Phelan and Mrs. Mary O'Conner of Nevada City. Sullivan was an uncle of James Phelan, University of Washington football coach.

Lion Eludes Hunter Three Weeks Before Captured and Killed

State Lion Hunter Charles Ledshaw, who resides on Alta Hill, has returned to this district after spending 21 days tracking a lion in the South Fork of the Feather River district in Butte County.

Ledshaw finally killed the lion, his ninth of the present year. The lion, a male, weighed 165 pounds.

While here Ledshaw will investigate reports lions are on the prowl in the Bloody Run and Omega districts. It was reported here a deer was killed by a lion at Bloody Run.

The state lion hunter spent yesterday in the Sierra Valley area.

SUFFERS INJURIES

A Mrs. Johnson of Peardale, who fell and hurt herself Tuesday on the sidewalk in front of the local library building was taken to her home by Sheriff Carl J. Tobiassen and Undersheriff William D. Woods after receiving treatment by Dr. W. W. Reed. Mrs. Johnson was not seriously hurt.

Ellis Tells Of Caravan Next Month

Tahoe Forest Supervisor Outlines Plans for Association Fair Tour

Many important matters were taken up last night by the Chamber of Commerce at its regular monthly session.

Lambert Thomas, chairman of the chamber's dance committee, reported arrangements have been completed for the Saturday, August 17th dance at the new platform in the Pacific Gas and Electric Company lot. Rollie Barton's 7-piece orchestra will play at the dance. Advance tickets are now on sale for 50 cents each, entitling the holder to five dances. The dance will be a dime a dance affair. The chamber is holding the dance to help pay for the expenses of the platform, which was constructed for use during the Fourth of July celebration.

Asks Fair Booth

Loyle Freeman of the 17th Agricultural District Fair Association, appeared at the meeting and asked the chamber to participate in the Nevada County Fair by decorating a booth. Four prizes are offered in the chamber of commerce booth class, the first prize being $180.

The chamber members ratified the election of President Bert Foreman and Secretary H. F. Sofge of the local association as directors of the Tahoe Pacific Highway 20 Association, a group organized to promote the Tahoe Ukiah Highway as a military road.

Plans For Caravan

Guerdon Ellis, Tahoe National Forest Service supervisor, who is general chairman of a committee arranging for a Tahoe Pacific Highwav 20 Association caravan to the state fair in Sacramento next month, spoke on the preliminary plans for the caravan. He said 100 cars from Nevada County are expected in the caravan. The Nevada County cars will leave on the designated day at 10 o'clock a. m. for Marysville, where the local caravan will join one from Mendocino County and continue to Sacramento. A Tahoe Pacific Highway 20 day has been arranged at the fair and a horse race, the Tahoe to Pacific Highway handicap, will be featured. Ellis will meet with Kenneth Hammaker, manager of the state fair and others in Colusa tomorrow night on the caravan plans. H. K. Heffren of Grass Valley is a member of Ellis' committee.

Secretary Sofge read a letter from Chris Fox, secretary of the Oakland annual Nevada County Picnic Day, asking the chamber secure fruit to be distributed to former Nevada County residents at the picnic. Sofge announced he will attempt to secure apple and pears for the picnic.

H. P. Davis Returns—

H. P. Davis, local mining engineer and president of the Valley Gold Mines, Inc., returned last night from a business trip to Sacramento.

Budget For 1940-41 Approved By Board

The school budget for the 1940-41 fiscal year was approved Monday night by the Nevada City Unified School District trustees after no protests were entered against any of the items contained in the budget.

The district taxes required for elementary schools is $10,692.31 and the total district taxes required for the high school is $10,033.10.

The estimated state apportionment for the elementary schools in the Nevada City Unified School District is $27,754.48. The state apportionment for the high school is estimated at $28,020.40.

For the elementary school the expenditures are divided as follows:

Administration, $2,612.50; instruction $24,004; operation of the plant, $4,190; maintenance of plant, $1,450; auxiliary agencies and corodinate activities $2,275; fixed charges, $1,220; capital outlay, $3,180; debt service $200; undistributed reserve $1,000; accumulative fund (bus) $250.

The high school expenses are listed as follows:

Administration, $2,637.50; instruction, $21,691; operation of plant, $3,650; maintenance of plant, $2,100; auxiliary agencies and coordinate activities, $2,475; fixed charges, $1,150; capital outlay, $2,910; debt service, $200; undistributed reserve $1,000; accumulative fund, (bus) $250.

The sinking fund has been established to replace the school buses when the present ones wear out. Funds have been provided in the budget for the payment for the garage for the school bus, which has just been completed at the high school. The garage eliminates the necessity of paying $15 per month for storage.

Miles D. Coughlin, clerk of the board, said he would be willing to furnish taxpayers with any information on the school budget. Coughlin has an itemized budget in his office for inspection.

Man Offers Reward For Party Poisoning His Valuable Dog

The sheriff's office is investigating the poisoning of the valuable dog of W. H. Borman of North San Juan.

Borman announced here he will give $100 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the men who poisoned the dog.

Sheriff Carl J. Tobiassen said the dog was poisoned with strychnine.

SUICIDE LEAVES POSSESSIONS TO SACTO. WOMAN

Sawmill Worker Wills Auto And Insurance To Acquaintance

Gustave Norman, 42, employee of the Lambert Almquist sawmill who ended his life by hanging Saturday night, left a will leaving his insurance policies and his automobile to Lillian Churchill of Sacramento.

This was revealed here by Deputy Sheriff Fred Williford, who also said Norman was to have appeared before Justice of the Peace Pearl Blemer in Loomis this week to answer a hit and run charge.

Norman left a note reading:

"Please forgive me for what I am doing but I rather end everything than to tell the court about my secret love affairs. Good luck to you all and God bless you."

The body of Norman remains at the Holmes Funeral Home here. Coroner A. M. Holmes is attempting to locate friends of the deceased to make funeral arrangements.

Graniteville, Lake Route Closed While Repairs Being Made

Reconstruction of the Poorman Bridge just outside of Graniteville will necessitate closing the Graniteville-Bowman Lake Road until August 15 according to word from forest service officials. This bridge is being constructed by Supervosor Jay Coughlan in cooperation with the forest service according to forest engineer G. E. Mitchell and the work is being done under the direction of H. P. Birkinbine, forest bridge engineer. Mitchell states that it is impracticable to build a detour for auto traffic during the period of construction but that by the 15th they expect to be able to place some stringers across the creek and install a temporary decking that will hold up passenger cars. No trucks will be able to use the road until about September 10.

With reconstruction work in progress on the Bear Valley-Bowman Lake road and now the bridge replacement on the Graniteville route Mitchell advises travelers to take the Gaston grade route between Washington and Bowman Lake. While not as good as the other two during normal time, it is passable and now the preferable route, Mitchell states.

ASSEMBLYMAN RECEIVES MANY ENDORSEMENTS FOR HIS REELECTION

Assemblyman Allen G. Thurman of Colfax, representing ten mountain counties of the sixth assembly district, announces he has received the endorsement for reelection from the following organizations:

California Retail Grocers and Merchants Association, Sacramento; Valley Retail Grocers Association, Northern California Hardware Dealers Association, Northern California Retail Druggists Association, the Allied Automotive Industries of California, Northern California Retail Tobacco Dealers Association, the California League for Efficiency in Government and the Fraternal Order of Eagles.

Thurman, who served his first term in the last session of the legislature, is the only newspaperman in the lower house.

Will Register for School—

Elton Tobiassen, son of Sheriff and Mrs. Carl Tobiassen, will register on August 22 for the fall semester at the University of California at Davis, where Tobiassen is stpdying animal husbandry. School will start on August 26th.

Plans Start For Annual County Fair

Total of $7,700 in Prizes Offered in Exhibit Competition

A total of $7,700 will be offered as premiums at the Nevada County Fair, which will be held in Grass Valley at the Memorial Auditorium on September 20th, 21st and 22nd. Entries already have started coming in for the prize competition in the domestic science class.

The 17th Agricultural District directors, which annually sponsor the county fair, will meet tonight to start plans for the three day event. Manager Loyle Freeman will give a report on the progress already made. Henry Spiess, new president of the board of directors, will preside.

One of the features of the fair will be a horse show on the final day. Both an afternoon and evening performance will be given.

Of the $7,700 to be awarded for premiums, $510 will be for minerals. Most of the money will be given on agricultural and horticultural exhibits.

PROBATION GIVEN DRUNKEN DRIVER

Mike Martinez, Zeibright Mine employee, arrested Sunday by Officer Cliff Bonivert on a charge of drunken driving, was granted probation this morning by City Judge Miles D. Coughlin.

Terms of the probation include no drinking during the next two years and the payment of a $100 fine in $10 installment.s

Probation Officer A. W. McGagin recommended probation for Martinez.

COUNCILMEN TO MEET TONIGHT

The Nevada City councilmen will meet here tonight for the regular monthly meeting.

Besides the payment of bills the council will hear a report on the activities of the new chief of police, Max Solaro. The council, which unofficially approved Chief Solaro's appointmen of Al Sommers as new policemen, is expected to officially confirm the choice at tonight's meeting.

BRIDGE SAVES PLUNGE

An auto driven by Grover C. Brown, of Grass Valley and a mine truck operated by James Giblen, also of Grass Valley, tried to pass on the Bear River bridge near Colfax.

Only the stout bridge railing prevented both vehicles from plunging into the river.

Dog Resumes Deer Trail As Soon As Pulled From Shaft

Sheriff Carl J. Tobiassen's cowboy experience served him in good stead when the officers received a call Tuesday to pull a dog out of a 50 foot shaft in the Deadman's Flat district below Grass Valley.

The sheriff expertly looped a rope about the imprisoned dog's jaw and whisked him to the surface unharmed. Without a moment's hesitation the dog took up the trail of a deer which it apparently had been tracking when it fell into the 50 foot hole. Whose dog it was no one knows but there is no doubt it takes its deer trailing seriously.

The call to extract the dog from the abandoned mine shaft came from Mrs. Caroline Prebble, whose property adjoins the land on which the shaft was located. Mrs. Prebble said she head the dog's cries while prospecting in the vicinity. She at first thought there was also a man in the shaft but that proved to be unfounded.

Sheriff Tobiassen, Deputy Sheriff Fred Williford and Chief of Police Ben Jenkins answered the humanitarian call for aid.

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News From Home

Most Americans are not bound ties of blood or friendship to the unfortunate nations of Europe. Yet a large part of our population do have close bonds with the millions of soldiers and civilians struggling for life in the combat and conquered areas.

The hard working Polish-Americans in the east; the thrifty Dutch American farmers of the mid-west; the hardy Norwegian-Americans of the northwest—and all other groups in the national melting pot. The lives of these Americans are bound inextricably to the course of the European war.

Their birthplaces have been bombed. Their brothers, cousins and fathers defending the homeland have died in battle or languish in prison camps. The womenfolk and children are refugees in alien lands.

For these Americans any news from home would probably be had. But the tragic thing is that they hear no word at all from loved ones abroad. For them the tortuous silence following troop movements brings only anguish heightened by newspaper and radio accounts of civilians on the march, of bombed and desolated towns.

A unique service of the America Red Cross has brought comfort to thousands of these souls starved for news from home. Since the invasion of Poland the Inquiry Service of the Red Cross has been acting as a clearing house for personal messages to and from Europe. More than 45,000 inquiries have been handled since last September. Definite news of some 13,000 of these inquiries has been obtained through the International Red Cross at Geneva and the various national Red Cross societies. Sometimes the reports bring good news, often tragic news and pitiful pleas for help.

"Everybody in this village is safe. Everyone is all right."

"Hendrik was killed. The rest of the family is well Home burned Please send us help."

"I am well Yvonne has been missing two months. We are desperate. Try and help."

Grim and reassuring messages alike come from Poland Finland. Holland Belgium, Norway, Luxembourg, France and England, giving evidence of the ability of the Red Cross movement to transcend the forces of hate and destruction. The service is available to the public without charge through local chapters of the America Red Cross.—Contributed

A Significant Trend

One of the most significant trends of the present day is the manner in which the women of this country as reflected through the activities of the various women's organizations are concentrating their efforts and abilities on the solution of serious social and community problems. Programs of women's groups are attaining sharper objectivity, reflecting a desire to get right down to business, to an even greater extent than has been apparent in the past.

The board of Directors and 500 state committee chairmen of the National Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs, Inc., have subscribed to the conviction "that women must participate more vitally, more intelligently in the everyday mechanisms of government if the people's rights to 'life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness' are to prevail—if they are to weather the storms coming towards us from within as well as without our country."

What many persons, and perhaps men particularly do not appreciate is that the host of time and labor saving devices and better household products, the yield from American industry working under the private enterprise system, permits the American women to accomplish her household duties better and much faster than was possible even a few years ago. The result is that the women of this country have an increasing amount of time available to accomplish those civic and social tasks that naturally fall within the scope of their special abilities. "Women's place is in the home" might today well be altered to read: Women's place is to be of the utmost helpfulness in her sphere of life."—Contributed.

Price of Liberty: Eternal Vigilance

As true today as when written 150 years ago:

"It is the common fate of the indolent to see their rights become a prey to the active. The condition upon which God hath given liberty to man is eternal vigilance; which condition if he break, servitude is at once the consequence of his crime and the punishment of his guilt."

—John Curran—1750-1817.

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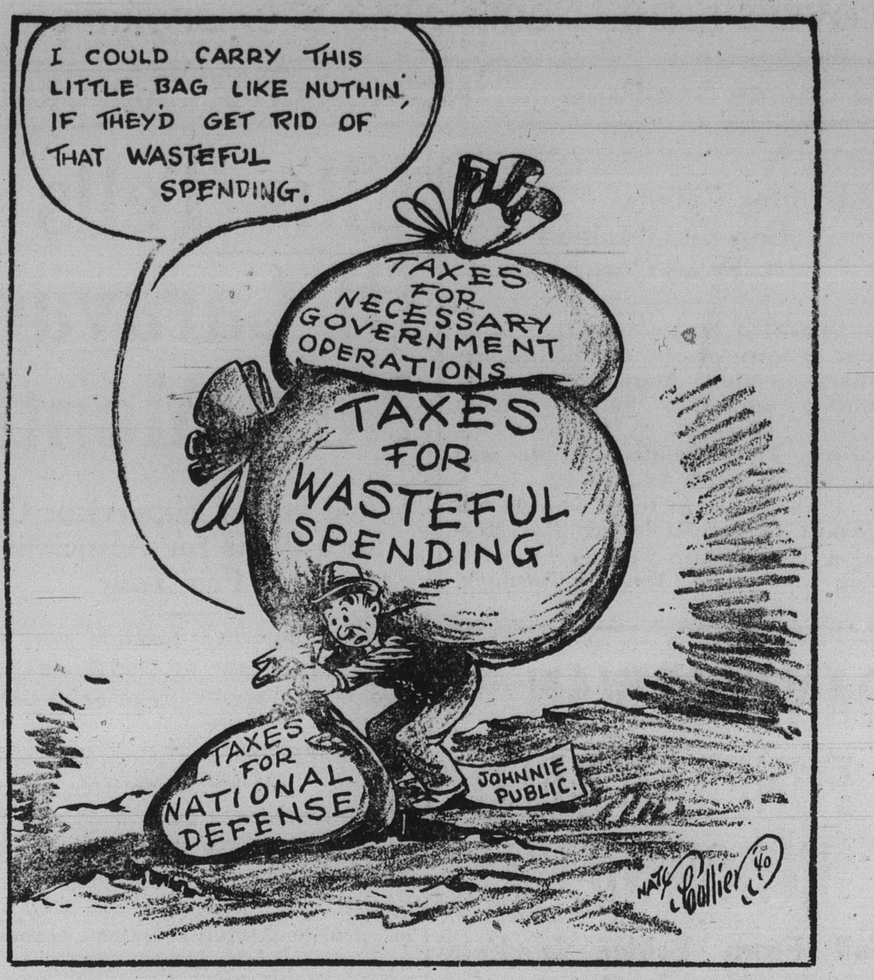
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Politically Speaking

By JOHN W. DUNLAP
United Press Staff Correspondent

SACRAMENTO, Aug. 8. — (UP)— The promoters of the Governor Olson recallel movement might be likened to a man who buys a big stack of hay, only to have a windstorm come along and blow the hay away.

John W Dunlap.

The recall committee spent thousands of dollars in securing names on petitions in Los Angeles, only to have 62 per cent of the signatures tossed out as invalid by the registrar of voters.

The certification of only 99,029 petition signatures out of the original total of 256,195 filed was a body blow to the recall committee. That brought the statewide total of legitimate names to 167,477, little more than half of the 318,176 names required under the constitution to qualify a special election.

Since the bulk of the state's voters reside in the counties already filed, the recall is given little chance of success to qualify from the remaining counties.

The fly in the ointment was the apparent method used in obtaining the names. The usual procedure is to hire a professional name agency at 10 cents per name, resulting in a high percentage of valid signatures. These firms have trained workers, often housewives or clubwomen.

The report that reached Sacramento, however, was that about half this price was offered to volunteer circulators, who were promised part of their fee upon delivery of the names and the rest when the good names were certified. The obvious result was for the circulator to get any and all names, regardless of eligibility, and decamp with the down payment from the committee.

A flurry of accusations, demands for a grand jury investigation of the solicitors, and request for a recertification resulted in a Los Angeles deputy district attorney being assigned to study the case. The committee has until Sept. 11 to file supplemental names from Los Angeles county.

Counties in which filing has been completed are San Francisco, Sonoma, San Diego, Santa Clara, Riverside, Orange, Marin and Napa.

CHURCHES

METHODIST CHURCH SUNDAY SERVICES

Sunday school at ten a. m. Ray Murchie, superintendent. Preaching service at 11 a. m. Vocal solo, Mrs. Betty Brown. Sermon, pastor, Vocal solo. Fred Crabbe. Since Rev. Pateman is away on his vacation, we extend a very cordial invitation to the members of the Episcopal Church to worship with us.

Epworth League at 6:15 p. m. Preaching service at 7:30 p. m. Ten minutes of song service led by Tom Rickard. Sermon, pastor. The public is cordially invited.

Week Events—Bible study and prayer hour Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. Study the 10th chapter of Acts. Choir practice Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

New 1941 Zenith Radios. The Harmony Shop, Grass Valley.

MACDONALD AND EDDY COMING IN THE NEW MOON

Reunited for first time in more than a year, Jeanette MacDonald and Nelson Eddy will score anew, when their latest musical romance, "New Moon," opens Sunday night at the Nevada Theatre for an engagement of two days.

"New Moon" takes its place along with the best of the films to co-star these two singing favorites. Packed with action, it moves vividly from the romantic New Orleans of 1780 to a tropical island where a strange group of personages, cast on land from a wrecked boat, set up a republic.

In the supporting cast, Mary Boland offers another of her amusing portrayals, with other standout performances given by George Zucco, Stanley Fields, Richard Purcell, John Miljan and Ivan Simpson.

The picture is particularly rich in the Sigmund Romberg musical score the stars singing such favorites as "Lover Come Back to me,".

Robert Z. Leonard, at both the directorial and production helm, has done a distinguished job in making "New Moon" one of the most enjoyable musical romances to hit the screen in some time It is a picture, which can be safely recommended to the entire family as a decided entertainment treat.

NEVADA COUNTY DAIRY PRODUCTS GAINING

SACRAMENTO, Aug. 8.—(UP)— California cows kept pace with an increased consumption of dairy products in California during 1939, the state department of agriculture announced today in a summary of the industry.

The bureau of dairy service said the milk fat production increased 4.36 per cent the total for 1939 being 163,933,109 pounds as compared with 157,083,666 pounds in 1938.

Nevada County produced 254,130 pounds of milk fat in 1939 and 230,943 pounds in 1938.

The consumption of market milk was 164,530,660 gallons, a jump of 12,803,069 gallons, or 8.43 per cent, but officials said this was more due to an increase in the population than an increase in the per capita consumption of milk, which remained about the same.

The county total of market milk, not including farm consumption, was 337,904 gallons in 1939 and 323,640 in 1938. Market cream consumption of 8,504,156 gallons represents an increase of 8 per cent.

Mining Man Visits—

Arch Bailey, who formerly mined in the Sierra County area, was a visitor here yesterday with J. F. Siegfried, local mining engineer. Bailey lives in Los Angeles and is still interested in mining.

Called To Sacramento—

J. D. Rafferty, Tahoe National Forest Seervice law enforcement officer, was called to Sacramento on business Tuesday.

Leave For San Francisco—

Mrs. Esther Jarvis and Son, William Jarvis and Mrs. Lillian Faup and daughter, Yvonne, have returned to their San Francisco homes after spending some time here with Mr. and Mrs. George Uhrig.

ATTEMPT MADE TO HALT SPREAD OF BUREAUCRACY

By RALPH H. TAYLOR

The seeds of bureaucracy and despotism once they are allowed to take hold in government, spread like Bermuda grass in a lawn—and unless rooted out, they simply take over!

There is little need to cite the proof of that statement. It is on every hand.

Government agencies, during recent years, have come to act as the judge, jury and executioner. Bureaus set up to administer the laws have taken over the function of enacting laws— by issuing rules and regulations which have the effect of law. Then they have sat in judgment, with quasi-judicial powers, to weigh the fate of all who have offended them.

The net effect has been to put agriculture, business and industry—and all the individuals employed by them—at the mercy of an army of petty bureaucrats, who have forgotten that they are public servants, and who set themselves up as despots with the power to make laws, administer them and penalize all who violate them.

As a consequence, both in national and state government we have acquired a multiplicity of minor dictatorships, each jealous of its own powers, each seeking greater authority, each violating both the letter and the spirit of democracy.

What can we do about it?

Finally—perhaps due to a new realization of the danger inherent in too much concentration of authority—efforts are under way, both in California, and in the national congress, to put a check rein on bureaucrats with dictotorship complexes, and make them responsible to higher authorities.

In congress, there is pending the Logan-Walter bill, which would insure the individual's right to redress by making subject to review by the courts the actions of many of the administrative bureaus now operating with virtually totalitarian powers.

The Logan-Walter bill strikes at the heart of bureaucratic excesses and malpractices. As a consequence, the bill is violently opposed by all the "little-Hitlers" who sit in the swivel chairs at Washington and who have held the power of life and death over the people who pay their salaries. Their contention of course, is that if bureau decisions are subject to review in the courts "big business" will be able to prevent "progressive reforms" by long-drawn court appeals.

But the average farmer, who has been examined and inspected, investigated and commanded, by bureaus without end, and who has sometimes despaired of finding any time for his farming, will doubtless agree with the writer that there is more to fear today from "big government" than from "big business."

If the bureau's decisions can't stand examination in an American courtroom, then there's something wrong with the bureau and its administration Certainly the error isn't in this country's system of checks and balances, predicated on three separate branches of government—legislative, administrative and judicial.

In California, the issue is brought sharply into focus by the DeLap constitutional amendment, which was approved by the legislature for submission to the voters at the forthcoming November election.

This amendment, like the Logan-Walter bill, provides for judicial review of orders by bureaus, boards and commissions in our state government. That such review is needed is best exemplified by recent rulings designed to circumvent the law and force agricuulture to come under the terms of the Unemployment Insurance Act, even though the law—as enacted by the legislature—specifically exempts farm labor from the proposal.

Regardless of the specific bills, this state and this country need to take steps to stop the spread of despotism in democracy. And the American system of divided authority is the best possible guarantee that bureaucrats won't become despots. Administrative bureaus never should have been given the right to make rules and regulations which have the effect of law. But where they have such powers, certainly their decisions should be subject to review in the courts. Otherwise, our governmental Bermuda grass will soon strangle the lawn!

First old maid—"Why were you screaming last night?"

Second old maid—"I had an awful nightmare. A man was chasing me and couldn't catch me."

DIAMOND MATCH OFFICIALS HERE

J. R. Gray, of Spokane, Wash., general manager of the Diamond Match Company, with offices in Chico, and Ira E. Brink, manager of yards and stores for the company, were in Nevada City this week to inspect the new Diamond Match lumber yard here.

The two praised Bert Foreman, local company manager, on the fast and efficient work of moving the yard from its former location on Spring Street to the present location on the Grass Valley-Nevada City Highway just inside the south city limits.

A new store building and warehouse will be constructed on the company's ground when the title to the property is cleared. At the present business is being done in temporary structures.

TAXIS JINX FREED CONVICTS

SALEM, Ore. (U.P.) — Warden George Alexander of the Oregon State Penitentiary has a contribution to make to criminal psychology. He has found that virtually every prisoner who takes a taxi when he leaves the prison is eventually returned for other sentences.

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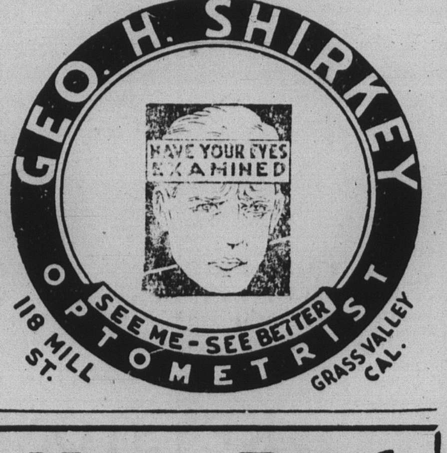

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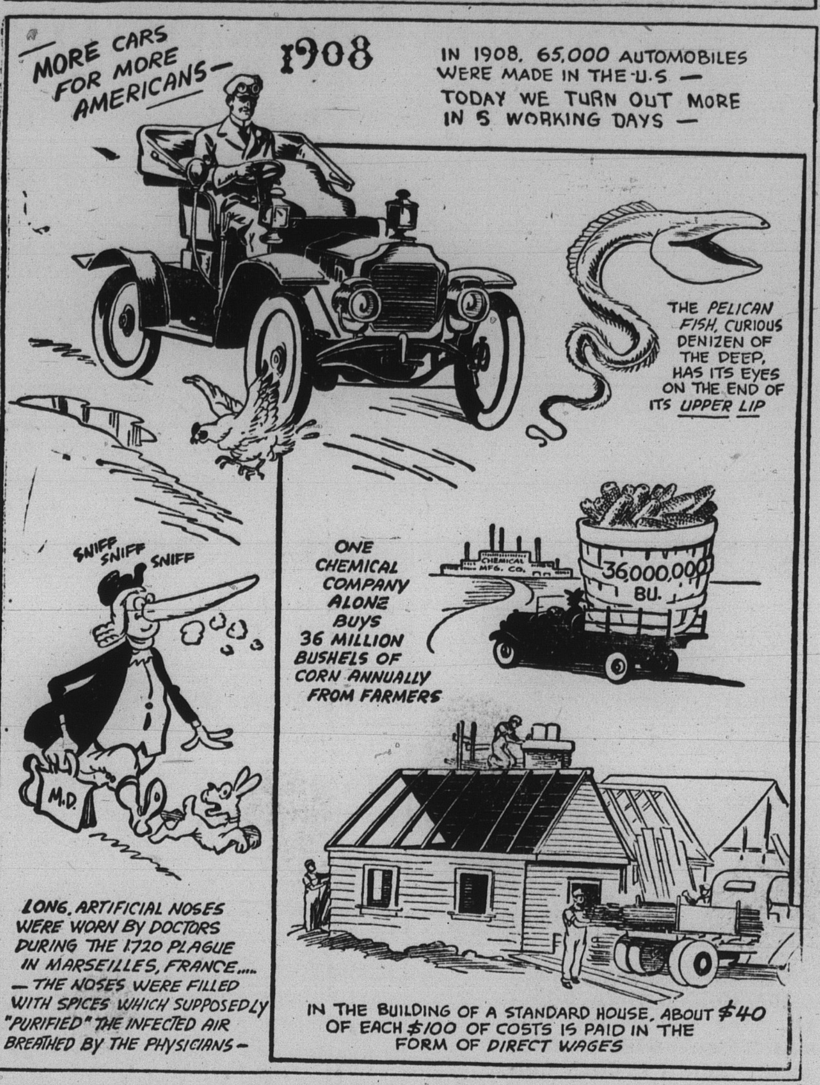
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Gatto in Spain and chat in France
And katz in Germany.

I wonder if your American cat would come running in response to the call, gatto or any other foreign term which might be used to attract his feline attention. Make the experiment sometime—is might prove interesting.

Differences in language which confuse a cat, a dog or a horse, stand as walls of silence between the peoples of the earth—individuals, groups of individuals, principalities and powers. Imperfectly broken down by the interpreter, they still remain as obstacles upon the road to understanding, friendliness and effective co-operative effort. In many cases these barriers of speech have incited suspicion, distrust and active hostility.

Numberless efforts have been made to overcome the handicap of diverse laguages. Univesal languages have been compiled and their adoption urged—but still the tower of Babel throws its shadow across the councols of man and darkens knowledge with words that many fail to understand.

Despite the diversity of tongues, the Cuba Convention of Latin America delegates proved to be a remarkable adventure in human understanding. It's achievement of solidarity was a lesson to all nations and stands as a great shining light in a world where lights are being darkened one by one. We are proud of the part Secretary of State, The Honorable Cordell Hull played in the unifying of America sentiment for peace and we sincerely hope for the continuance of confidence and good will upon this continent.

Following the conference at Havana came the announcement that The Readers' Digest has arranged to make an invaluable contribution to the art of understanding. The Readers' Digest is to be published in Spanish and made available to our neighbors of central and south America. This will be a non-profit enterprise entered into for the sole purpose of affording to the Spanish speaking nations a clearer understanding and appreciation of America culture, ideals and aspirations.

Every individual may cotribute to the strengthening of the bond of friendliness now existent between the nations of this continent. It is to be hoped that schools and colleges will stress the importance of Spanish as a useful study at this particular time and that we may all seek to gain a wider knowledge of the historic achievements of Latin America and a deeper appreciation of its incomparable art, and literature.

Knowledge is power, for knowledge destroys the barriers of distrust, envy, hate and intolerance which tend to bring about disaster like those which prevail in the world of today, May we all. as American nationalists, adopt the old slogan, "One for All and All for One."

—A. MERRIAM CONNOR.

MAN SUCCUMBS WHEN STRUCK BY POWER SHOVEL

Coroner A. M. Holmes was notified Tuesday of the death of John Scappinello, 48, for many years a resident of Truckee, who was injured fatally west of there Monday when he was struck by a power shovel bucket while working on the Southern Pacific tracks.

While there were no witnesses to the mishap, it was believed Scappinello started to climb upon a car opposite from the side visible to the shovel operator and was crushed between the car and the shovel. He was taken to Truckee and given first aid but died while enroute to Reno.

An inquest was conducted by W. H. Laity Tuesday night. Scappinello was the sergeant at arms of the Truckee Post of the American Legion. No immediate relatives survive.

Used Radios $5.00 up. The Harmony Shop, Grass Valley.

Hubbards Return—

J. V. Hubbard and daughter, Miss Juanita Hubbard and son, Jack Hubbard, have returned from a month's vacation, a part of which was spent in the Kings River Canyon section.

Story & Clark Pionas at The Harmony Shop, Grass Valley.

THIRD TERM OF NEW DEAL VITAL ISSUE TO PEOPLE

J. Roscoe Drummond, staff correspondent of the Christian Science Monitor, reporting a press session recently with Wendell L. Willkie, states that before he was nominated Willkie once remarked jestingly that he would rather beat the champ than Tony Gallento.

This expressive and pithy phrase, however much it suggests the truth, doesn't get to the heart of it. And so at one of the early press conferences we had here with Mr. Willkie—it was before the Chicago convention—this question was asked:

"Mr. Wilkie, we still find it difficult to understand why you want to have the Democrats nominate President Roosevelt for a third term. We know you have said that you want to beat the champ, not his second. We know you have said that only with the President running against you would it be a really zestful campaign. but, from the point of view of your own convictions, isn't it more important to the country that there should be a change of adminitration in Washington than that you should have the fun of doing battle with Mr. Roosevelt?"

Mr. Willkie thought a moment and then replied deliberately:

"That is true. Yes, that is certainly true. I have said that I'd like the fun of a hard, fighting campaign, but my position really goes deeper than that and I am glad to clarify exactly what I mean.

"Mr. Roosevelt is the champion New Dealer, the outstanding advocate of the philosophy which holds that the Government's control over the individual should be extended and intensified. There is no monopoly as dangerous as the monopoly of political power. That is what the New Deal means and that is the most vital issue of the national campaign ahead.

"The nomination of Franklin Roosevelt, who will propound and defend that philosophy, means that this issue will be brought out into bold relief. The nomination of any other Democrat would mean that the big, important issue would be clouded.

"It is the essence of the democratic way that the people shall decide what kind of government they want. It is vital to American democracy that the issue of the philosophy and practices of the New Deal should be decided by the American people after free discussion and frank debate and I would rather lose the election on the real issues with the New Deal's most effective advocate against me than win it against any lesser candidate whose campaign would hedge on the issues and blur the verdict. I'm really thinking of more than the fun of the battle; I am thinking of the welfare of our democracy."

Mr. Willkie has his wish. But he meant it. He can hardly wait for the campaign to begin. It's going to be something.

NOTICE TO WATER CONSUMERS

After this date the following irrigation hours will be enforced in Nevada City:

6:00 A. M. to 9:00 A. M.
5:00 P. M. to 8:00 P. M.

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SHORTENING

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ARMOURS STAR PURE LARD 4 pound Carton	41c
QUEENS TASTE EGG NOODLES 1 pound	10c
CHEESE, American Pabst & Brick 2 pound box	51c

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DIANA PEELED TOMATOES No. 2½ 3 for	27c
ELLIS SHOESTRING POTATOES For your picnic 2-2½ tin	25c
BONNIE DOG FOOD 6 for	25c
GRAPEFRUIT JUICE Del Monte No. 2 can 3 for	25c
TOMATO JUICE State Fair 10½ oz.	5c
No. 10	30c
TREET, Armours, the real, fine meat 12 oz. tin 2 for	45c
SARDINES Black Horse, Imported	10c
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PEACHES Lincoln 2½ 2 for	25c
BLACKBERRIES, Oregon	10c
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Nevada Strained 2½ tin	25c

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MONARCH, as advertised, 1 pound Vac. Can	28c
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Blue Bloods at '40 Fair

Leading show horses of the world will go through their paces at the world's richest horse show at the Golden Gate International Exposition, August 10 to 18. Star performers will include the San Francisco Sheriff's Mounted Posse with an exhibition of more than $50,000 of equipment. Shown is Jean Collins with Miss Marker, one of the sheriff's mounts.

NARROWS WORK HALF COMPLETED

L. E. Dixon, contractor in charge of the construction of the Upper Narrows Dam near Smartsville on the Yuba River, announces the project is more than 50 per cent completed.

Two million cubic yards of concrete have been poured into the forms, placing the present top many feet above the bed of the river. The stream was diverted into another channel while the bed forms were hardening.

Dixon said he believes the work will be completed early in 1941.

"As I look about me," said the clergyman, beginning his sermon, "and see so many shining faces—

Out came at least 100 powder puffs.

BOOKS LOANED BY LIBRARY IN JULY TOTAL 1538

Mrs. Iva Williamson, city librarian reports that in July the number of books borrowed for home use was 1538. fiction 1202; juvenile 228; miscellaneous 108; books borrowed from state Library 8.

Visitors to the reading rooms 1201 men 382; women 176; boys 339; girls 314; number of borrowers 885; total attendance 2086; daily attendance 80.

Cards issued 21 adult and 10 juvenile. cards cancelled 8 adult and 3 juvenile, a gain of 21 and our present registration 1399; books purchased 18; donated 12, discarded 6; present

The following books were purchased, "Your Career in Business," Walter Hoving; "Legacy" Charles Bonner; "The Man with the Box" Henry Stephan Keeler; "Defense for America" Edited by Wm. Allen White; "Some Day I'll Find You," Margaret Widdener; "The English Air," D. E. Stevenson; "Through the House Door Helen Hall; "Why Europe Fights," Walter Miller; "Gau Fend," E. B. Mann; "Lone Star Silver," Jackson Cole; "Ladies Go Masked" Margaret Widdener; "Gun Bulldozzer" Eugene Cunninghak; "The Nazerene" Sholen Arch; "Shadows on the Valley," Barbara Webster; "Old Lover's Ghost," Leslie Ford; "Cabbage Holiday," Anthony Thorne; "As I Remember Him," Hans Jinser; "The D. A. Goes to Trial," Erle Stanley Gardner.

We received from Mrs. M. Strandberg the following books: Mistress Wilding" Rafael Sabatini: "Tales from a Roll Top Desk," Christopher Morley; "Gigolo" Edna Ferber; "Queechy," Elizabeth Wethersall; "Just a Chapter in her Life," Clara Louise Vuenham; "Fortunes Folly," Rafael Sabatini; "The Locked Book," Frank L. Packard; and the "The Queen of Farrandale," Clara Louise Burnham.

From Jim Taylor we received the following juveniles, "Barry Dare and the Mysterious Box," Gardner Hunting; "The Lover's End" William Hayliger; "The Golden Lure," Philip Hart and "The Mystery Crash," Van Powell.

PREMARITAL LAW PROVES ITS NEED

SACRAMENTO, Aug. 8.—(UP)—Since the premarital law became effective, September, 1939, a total of 68,701 tests have been performed in private laboratories, local public health and state laboratories, of which 1,300 or 1.9 per cent were positive. Dr. Bertram Brown, director of the department of public health reported today.

Prenatal tests totalled 86,748, with 1,645 or 1.9 being positive.

During June, a total of 1,736 cases of syphilis and 1,453 cases of gonorrhea were reported and drugs sufficient for 46,767 treatments were distributed.

Agency for Lester Pianos, The Harmony Shop, Grass Valley.

THURMAN'S AID TO PENSIONS WINS COMMENDATION

The Fraternal Order of Eagles who sponsored the amendments eliminating the lien clause of the Old Age Pension Act has endorsed Assemblyman Allen G. Thurman of this district for reelection and in a letter received by the assemblyman the past week commended him for his support of the Old Age Pension Act legislation, both at the regular session of 1939 and the special session of 194. The letter follows:

"San Francisco, Calif.,
July 30, 1940.

"Hon. Allen G. Thurman,
Church Street
Colfax, California.
"Dear Mr. Thurman:

"I take this opportunity as a representative of the Fraternal Order of Eagles appearing before legislative committees, to thank you for your efforts in behalf of old age pension legislation. Our organization is not unmindful of the services rendered by you in behalf of the aged people.

"Our organization has interested itself in commending those who have performed public service, and more particularly those who have supported the Old Age Pension Act and its amendments, sponsored by the Fraternal Order of Eagles in the state of California. I assure you that our organization does commend you for your legislative support of the Old Age Pension Act. The local Aries in your district will make known to their members and the citizens of their community the humanitarian work and service rendered by you in the legisature in securing the passage of the amended Old Age Pension Act and the two constitutional amendments that will appear upon the November ballot.

"It is, my hope that you may through the medium of the press and through the members of our fraternity, as well as the aged people of our state, secure the support to which you are entitled for your untiring efforts and services rendered in behalf of the old people of the state of California. You may rest assured that the Fraternal Order of Eagles is not unmindful of your recent support, and I am sure they recognize the service you have rendered.

"With best wishes for your continued success, I remain

Sincerely yours,
"WM. B. HORNBLOWER."

LOCAL LODGES PLAN PARADE PARTICIPATION

The Native Sons and Native Daughters of the Golden West here are discussing plans to enter floats in the three hour Admission Day parade scheduled to take place in the downtown section of Sacramento on September 9th.

It was announced here two of the floats which aroused widespread interest in the local Fourth of July parade may be entered in the Sacramento Admission Day parade. They are the Native Sons float in which Elza Kilroy played the part of George Washington and R. L. Bigelow Uncle Sam and the Fireman's float.

The parade will consist of fourteen divisions. It is to be held in conjunction with a three day Admission Day celebration, which begins in the capital city on September 7th. More than 3,000 members of both the Native Sons and Native Daughters will be in the line of march, according to advance information given by Frank J. Lafferty, Sacramento Admission Day parade chairman.

MORE RIFLE FIRING AT CAMP

WATERTOWN, N. Y. (U.P.)—Five ammunition magazines will be constructed at Pine Camp Military Reservation to store hot for army marksmanship training, officers have announced. The magazines will be used in conjunction with regular training periods at the camp.

BLIND GARDENER ENVIED

BUTTE, Mont. (U.P.)— Robert J Brimson, blind for 15 years, has one of the neatest gardens in Butte. With the aid of a notched board for planting and ropes along the pathways between sections of his garden to guide him, Brimson has produced results that are the envy of his neighbors.

"What's the matter, my boy?"

"Well, Mr. McTavish promised me 15 cents an hour for cutting the grass and now he's charging me 15 cents an hour for the use of his lawn mower."

MORE HOPE FOR U. S. BALDPATES

SACRAMENTO, Aug. 8.—(UP)—The Rockefeller Foundation has given financial assurance that experiments will continue in amino acid, a witch's potion which, in effect, might grow back on bald heads hair swept from the barber shop floor.

The foundation, endowed by John D. Rockefeller, who didn't have too much hair either, has allotted $2,400 to the University of California at Los Angeles for continued study of the mysterious acid.

The acid, concocted from such diverse stuff as dried blood, cottage cheese, sunflower seed and sweepings from barber shops, has inspired research scientists in many fields. From it, treatments are being sought for such diseases as cancer and baldness, and the rare and costly acid is already used for gastric ulcers and muscular ailments.

"Why are you so bitter against your Uncle Nebuchadnezzar?"

"He lost all his money right after we named the baby for him."

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SPORTS

Auburn Defeats Miners, Adding Fuel To Dispute

The Grass Valley Miners, Sacramento Valley League, lost to Auburn champions of the Placer-Nevada League, in Roseville last night, providing the latter league, although considered a junior circuit, is as strong if not stronger than the Valley League.

The score of last night's game was 5 to 3. The Miners were at full strength for the battle except that Chick Faulkner, reserve twirler, pitched instead of Manager Archie Campbell.

The Miners went into the ninth inning of last night's battle trailing 1 to 5. Four consecutive singles were made by Miner hitters and Dick Hoskins was purposely walked to fill the bases. Syl Gregory, new shortstop addition to the Miner aggregation, ended the game by striking out. Previously Gregory had clouted a home-run and single.

Faulkner started on the mound and was replaced in the sixth inning by Manager Campbell after yielding four runs on 10 hits. Campbell was knocked for one run on two hits.

Pat Hurley pitched five innings for Auburn and gave but four hits, including Gregory's homer. Al White was nicked for two runs and five hits during the four innings he pitched.

The Auburn victory will add fuel to the controversy on the comparative strength of the Valley and Placer-Nevada Leagues.

MINERS RELEASE BARNEY RUGGLES TO SIGN MADAN

Al Newell, business manager of the Grass Valley Miners, has announced Barney Ruggles, the team's second-baseman, has been released.

Ruggles, who formerly lived in Nevada City, has not been hitting as well for the Miners this year as he had during the past several years. The management of the Grass Valley team, which is in the thick of the second half pennant fight in the Sacramento Valley League, is attempting to obtain Vernoon (Punky) Madan to replace Ruggles at secondbase.

The Miners will travel to Woodland for Sunday's game The Oaks pulled a surprise upset over Chico last Sunday and may prove dangerous to Grass Valley.

Manager Archie Campbell, who turned in a victory for the Miners over Marysville last Sunday despite a sore back, is expected to be in good condition for the Woodland battle.

NEVADA CITY WILL PLAY AGAINST NEWCASTLE

Although Nevada City has forfeited three games in the Foothill League in the second half, Manager Bill Clark hopes to place a team on the field in the game with Newcastle at the latter team's diamond Sunday.

The game is the final scheduled for the season and Manager Clerk of the Nevada City squad would like to end up the year with a victory. It is reported Alex McKenzie's sore arm has improved and he will probably do the twirling for the locals. Mel Stinson will be behind the plate.

The Nevada City team ended first half in second place.

First Willkie Volunteer In California

Kathleen Norris, noted authoress, shown accepting No. 1 membership in the Willkie Volunteers in Northern California. Mrs. Norris and several members of her family will work for the election of Republican nominee for President under the non-party banner of the Willkie Volunteer Movement. Presentation of the membership card was made by Phelps S. Hunter, Organization Chairman of the group.

BUICK SALES HIT NEW MARK

More new Buick motor cars were sold and delivered to retail customers in California last month than in any other July on record, according to information received here by Paul Viles, county Buick dealer.

Mr. Viles said that new Buick sales in the state during the month of 1,784 units compared with 1,112 in July last year, an increase of 672 units or 60 per cent. Continuing the record breaking pace maintained by Buick throughout the year, the high July volume brought the Buick sales total in California for the seven months of the year to 11,598 units a new all-time high for this period of the year. The best previous July was recorded in 1927 when 1,636 new Buicks were registered during the month to California purchasers, he declared.

OLSON RECALLERS OPEN NEW DRIVE

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 8.—An inquiry loomed here today as Directors of the Olson Recall Committee demanded to find out the reasons why 155.166 signatures out of a total of 256,195. filed with Registrar of Voters William E. Kerr, were disqualified.

A recheck is being asked from Kerr's office with the recall directors claiming the work of his staff was incomplete and that more than 50,000 valid signatures were stricken from the petitions.

District Attorney Fitts has been requested to investigate alleged forgeries on the petitions since leaders in the recall movement believe a number of circulators were "planted" in order to sabotage their efforts to recall the governor.

E. G. Starr, a director of the Olson Recall Commiteee, Inc., issued the following statement:

"Check tests which members of the organization have conducted indicate clearly that the rush and confusion which marked the verification activities in Mr. Kerr's office, have caused the elimination of more than 50,000 signatures of registered voters. An official recheck, we believe, will reinstate thousands of these signatures.

"As to any fraudulent activities on the part of the circulators of the petitions, we have requested the District Attorney's investigation."

Mrs. W. B. Allen of Oakland is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jurkovich of Alleghany spent Monday in this city, visiting Mrs. Jurkovich's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams.

LOCAL PEOPLE WILL ATTEND FOREST FETE

Many Nevada City former residents of Forest, Sierra County, will attend that community's tenth annual two day homecoming celebration on Saturday and Sunday.

The celebration is being arranged by the Forest Improvement Club. Entertainment, including dancing is planned for the two day event.

Sports contests of all sorts will be one feature of Sunday's activities The fete annually attracts scores of former residents of the Sierra county town from all sections of Northern California.

To Make Home Here—

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Palsy and Mr. Stamer, mother of Mrs. Palsy all of Huntington Park, have arrived in Nevada City to make their future home. Mrs. Stamer is a sister of Mrs. "Rusty" Mullen of this city.

The A. C. Presley family has returned from a month's vacation trip, spent principally in visiting relatives in Colorado and California.

Story & Clark Pianos at The Harmony Shop, Grass Valley.

Fred. L. Barber, representing the H. R. Basford Company of San Francisco, spent yesterday in Nevada City on business.

Constable On Vacation—

Constable William C. Jeff [illegible] this city is in San Francisco on a month's vacation. While Jeff [illegible] away Charles Ninnis, former city officer and deputy sheriff, is handling his duties.

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GRAPE JUICE Welch's	Quart bottle	39c
SNOWFLAKES Crackers	2 pound pkg.	27c
MAYONNAISE Nu Made	Quart jar	37c
ZEE TISSUE Plain or Tinted	Re.g roll 4 for	17c
BEER Brown Derby Plus Bottle Deposit	11 ounce steinies 4 for	25c
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CORN BEEF Wilson's	No. 1 can	19c
SYRUP Sleepy Hollow	Med. 26 oz. can	28c
BISQUICK Gold Medal	Lge. 40 oz. pkg.	28c
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SOCIAL EVENTS

[illegible] Uhrig Wedding Invitations Will Be In Mail

In[illegible] will be in the mail [illegible] weekend for the marriage [illegible] St. Patrick's Church in Grass Valley on August 31st of Miss Edna Uhrig of Nevada City and John Ronald Ma[illegible] of San Francisco.

The approaching marriage has [illegible] the incentive for several showers in honor of the bride to be. Mrs. Mary Jenkins will give a personal shower for Miss Uhrig at the Jenkins home in Grass Valley on August 10th.

Miss Uhrig is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Uhrig, residents of [illegible] Avenue. She is a graduate of the Nevada City High School and attended Placer Junior College.

The groom is chemist in the employe of the National Lead Company in San Francisco.

Fred Bush Guests Return To Home

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Bush of Berkeley have returned to their home after spending two weeks with Bush's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bush of Nevada City. Mr. and Mrs. Bush also enjoyed a four day visit here with Mrs. Bush's sister, Mrs. Edna Jensen and daughter, Barbara Grimes,

While here the visitors took many sightseeing trips to various points of interest in this vicinity.

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Couple Return From Honeymoon

Mr and Mrs. Jack D. Tupper, Jr., have returned to Grass Valley and are making their home at the Sierra Apartments following a short honeymoon trip, taken after their marriage in Reno, Nev., last Thursday.

The bride is the former Miss Eva Wallace, Grass Valley nurse. The couple were married by Rev. Carl Schmidt in the Reno Methodist Episcopal Church.

Tupper is employed by the Hooper-Weaver Mortuary, Inc., in Grass Valley. He is a son of John D. Tupper, Sr., Grass Valley businessman.

VITAL STATISTICS

BIRTHS

McPIKE—In Grass Valley, Aug. 2, 1940, to Mr. and Mrs. L. McPike of Dutch Flat, a son.

RICHMOND—At the Nevada City Sanatarium, August 5, 1940, to Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Richmond of Grass Valley, a son.

MARRIAGE DECLARATIONS

SANFORD-NILE—In Nevada City, August 6, 1940, by Leon Whitman Sanford, 30, and Grace Margaret Nile, 20, both of Grass Valley.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

HANDY-BURTSCHER — In Nevada City, August 6, 1940, to William Handy 31, of Grass Valley and Cecile Gabrielle Burtscher, 30, of Auburn, Placer County.

GREENE-STEWART — In Reno, Nev., August 4, 1940, to Clifford Greene, over 21, of Maryville and Betty F. Stewart, 19, of Grass Valley.

DIVORCES

LEMMON—In Nevada City, August 6, 1940, Thelma Lemmon against G. C. Lemmon; suit filed; ground, extreme cruelty.

DEATHS

JOHNSON—In Nevada City, Aug. 6, 1940, Lonnie Charles Johnson, husband of Mrs. Anne Johnson, father of Richard and Lola Johnson, brother of Mrs. Lola Sellus and Miss Ollie Johnson of New Mexico; a native of New Mexico, resident of Grass Valley one day, aged 33 years. The body is at the Holmes Funeral Home in Grass Valley pending word from relatives.

SULLIVAN—In Sacramento, August 5, 1940, Daniel F. Sullivan of Downieville, husband of Mrs. Amelia Sullivan, brother of Mrs. Albert Jacobs of Downieville, Mrs. Nellie Phelan and Mrs. Mary O'Conner of Nevada City; a native of Moores Flat, aged 74 years. The funeral services were held in Downieville today with burial under the direction of the Holmes Funeral Home of Nevada City.

THOMAS—In Nevada City, August 6, 1940, Howard D. Thomas; a native of Pennsylvania, a resident of California 43 years, aged 63 years. The body is at the Holmes Funeral Home in Nevada City. Efforts are being made to locate relatives.

Fischer—In San Jose, August 4, 1940, Gustave Fischer, Jr., formerly of Nevada City, husband of Mrs. Olga Fischer, son of Mrs. Ethel Fischer, both of San Jose, brother of Mrs. Lola Fuller and Mrs. Essie Schoenberger of San Jose; Mrs. Lorene Sanford of Reno; William, Carl, Clyde and Earl Fischer of San Jose; a native of Nevada City, aged 45 years. The funeral services were held in San Jose.

MINE WORKERS PICNIC PLANS GOING AHEAD

Prepartions are nearing completion for the annual Nevada County Mine Workers Protective League picnic at Lake Olympia on August 14th.

All the mines in the Nevada City-Grass Valley area which recognize the league as bargaining agency for their employees will follow the custom of previous years and close on the picnic day.

The picnic is a benefit for the widows and orphans fund of the league, an independent labor organization.

President Olney Donnelly and Secretary Ed Jones are active in making the picnic arrangements.

Return From Visit—

Mrs. Andy Adamson, her daughter, Mrs. Verne Crase, and grandson, Vernon Andrew Crase, all of the Gold Flat district, have returned from Clinton, Ind., where they visited Mrs. Adamson's mother, Mrs. Grace Hughes.

PERDUN'S BRIDGE CAN BE USED FOR SAN JUAN TRIP

Motorists not wishing to wait while blasting and debris clearing is being carried on in the construction work on the Downieville Highway between here and North San Juan can take the Perdun's Bridge route via Lake Vera and save considerable time.

City Clerk George Calanan said he came over the road the other day and it is in good condition. Perdun's Bridge has been replanked and the road considerably improved by the forest service.

Secretary H. F. Sofge of the local chamber of commerce said he has received complaints regarding the long waits on the Downieville Highway while blasting and debris clearing was going on. The chamber secretary wrote a letter to Division Engineer Whitmore of Marysville seeking. the arrangement of scheduled hours for blasting so motorists need no wait so long. The Perdun's Bridge route is offered as an alternative road to those who do not desire occasional long waits.

SEVERE INJURIES SUSTAINED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Howard Clifford of Grass Valley, who resides at the former Prisk orchards, now the property of Errol MacBoyle, is confined to the Jones Memorial Hospital in Grass Valley with severe injuries, sustained when an automobile he was driving crashed into one driven by Thomas Heidrich of Sheep Ranch.

The accident occurred just below the golf course. Clifford's car hurtled an embankment and finally came to rest against a fence, 200 feet from the accident scene.

The California Highway Patrol conducted an investigation into the crash.

JURY DISAGREES IN GRASS VALLEY NUISANCE CASE

A Grass Valley justice court jury was discharged last night by Justice of the Peace Charles Morehouse after they failed to reach a verdict in the case of Florence Dolan, charged with maintaining a public nuisance. The woman conducts a saddle horse hiring business at Memorial Park.

After the jury was discharged Justice Morehouse set August 27th as the date for a new trial.

Testimony was contradictory at the trial, conducted yesterday, on whether the horses were a nuisance in the neighborhood of the park. Several witnesses testified to offensive smells but others said the horses did not create smells or attract flies.

The defense was conducted by Frank Finnegan, Nevada City attorney. The complaint against the defendant was signed by Cecil Tremewan.

RESIDENT OF ONE DAY DIES FROM ATTACK

L. Charles Johnson, 33, suffered a heart attack one day after his arrival in Nevada County, and died in a hospital here Tuesday.

Johnson was stricken ill at Taylorville. He was an airplane and automobile mechanic.

The deceased, a native of New Mexico, had resided in California for about 20 years. He leaves his wife, Mrs. Anne Johnson, two children Richard and Lola and two sisters, Mrs. Lola Sellus and Miss Ollie Johnson of New Mexico.

The body is at the Holmes Funeral Home in Grass Valley.

Will Hear Report—

County Superintendent of Schools Walter Carlson, who is president of the Nevada City Rotary club, presented a report on this week's district convention in Susanville at today's meeting of the local club. Carlson attended the convention with Fred C. Garrison, club secretary. Garrison left for Woodland after the convention concluded to enjoy a several days vacation with his parents, former residents of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Bolton have returned from San Francisco, where they pent several days on business.

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GUS FISCHER PASSES AWAY

Funeral services were conducted in San Jose this week for Gustave Fischer, Jr., 45, a native of Nevada City, who died Sunday in San Jose.

Fischer, a World War veteran, attended school in Nevada City. His father, the late Gustave Fischer, Sr., at one time operated the Plaza Grocery here.

The deceased leaves his wife, Mrs. Alga Fischer, his mother, Mrs. Ethel Fischer, three sisters, Mrs. Lola Fuller and Mrs. Essie Schoenberger of San Jose and Mrs. Lorene Sanford of Reno and four brothers, William, Carl, Clyde and Earl Fischer of San Jose.

Will Return Tonight—

Mrs. J. D. Rafferty, wife of the law enforcement officer of the Tahoe National Forest is expected to return to her home here tonight after a several weeks visit with relatives in various parts of the state. Mrs. Rafferty visited relatives in Stockton and then went to Watsonville, where she was the guest at the home of her husband's parents.

ONE OF TRIO CERTIFIED TO JUVENILE COURT

Charles Kunz, 17, one of three youths charged with the burglarizing of the Mike Murphy cabin in You Bet, was certified to the juvenile court yesterday by Justice of the Peace George Gildersleeve when it was determined the youth was under 18 years of age.

An investigation is continuing into the exact age of the other two arrested for the crime, William and Wallace Kunz. Both claim they are minors.

FLYNN ARRESTED

Harold G. Flynn, 38, is held in the county jail here on the complaint of Sam Gould, body and fender repair shop proprietor, who accuses him f stealing tools from his shop. No charge has been placed against Flynn yet, but it is probable it will be petty theft.

Arrives From Oakland—

W. I. Booth of the Last Chance Mine above Omega, arrived in Nevada City Tuesday from Oakland. Booth left the same day for his mining property.

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